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TO: Honorable John T. Smithee, Chair, House Committee on Insurance

FROM: John S. O'Brien, Deputy Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB792 by Coleman (Relating to the use of certain rating practices in certain lines of

insurance.), As Introduced

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

This bill would amend the Insurance Code relating to the use of certain rating practices in certain lines of insurance. Based on the analysis of the Department of Insurance and the Office of Public Insurance Counsel, duties and responsibilities associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be accomplished by utilizing existing resources.

This bill would take effect September 1, 2005.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 359 Office of Public Insurance Counsel, 454 Department of Insurance

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